

## BARRICADE WORKER

### NATURE OF WORK

This is skilled work in the set up and maintenance of traffic barricades.

Work involves responsibility for the set up and maintenance of barricades in accordance with Traffic Control Guidelines and working with other departments and divisions on traffic control projects. Work also involves maintaining accurate records and assisting in the training of subordinate employees. Work is performed independently with general supervision received from a technical or administrative superior with the employee demonstrating personal initiative in responding to varying work situations and public needs and demands.

### EXAMPLES OF WORK PERFORMED

Places portable barricades or other guardian devices so traffic can move through construction and maintenance zones safely.

Works with all types of barricade projects; sets up street closures.

Reviews maps and records for accuracy of barricade set up; prepares daily time sheets indicating barricade placement.

Maintains a variety of barricades including type 3 barricades, to include replacing burned out bulbs, checking and replacing batteries, and repairing flasher lights, broken panels and legs.

Answers questions and complaints from the public at job sites; refers to appropriate department or individuals as necessary; receives requests for the installation of traffic barricades and related traffic control devices.

Assists in training subordinate employees in barricade set up and maintenance.

Operates equipment when plowing snow, loading sand and salt on material spreaders, spreading sand or salt on designated routes and clearing streets of mud, rubble, debris or other obstructions; performs other routine activities in the maintenance of the street and storm sewer system.

### DESIRABLE KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS

Considerable knowledge of barricade set up techniques used in traffic control.

Considerable knowledge of applicable safety measures and precautions necessary in barricade set up.

Ability to compile all necessary information needed for required reports and ability to prepare same.

Ability to plan barricade set up for a variety of projects.

Ability to understand and follow oral and written instructions.

Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with co-workers, the general public and various departments.

Ability to learn and observe proper safety precautions.

Skill in the use of hand tools and related equipment needed for the repair and maintenance of barricades and related devices.

Ability to plan, assign and train subordinates.

Ability to operate various types of equipment and vehicles in a safe and efficient manner.

#### DESIRABLE TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

Graduation from a senior high school or equivalent with some experience in traffic control guidelines.

#### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Graduation from a senior high school or any equivalent combination of training and experience which provides the desirable knowledge, abilities and skills.

#### NECESSARY SPECIAL REQUIREMENT

Possession of a valid Nebraska driver's license with a CDL indorsement when operating a 26,000 GVW vehicle is necessary to the satisfactory performance of assigned duties.

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